

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS30612 / H0323

This is a FY 2023 supplemental appropriation for the Division of Medicaid in the Department of Health and Welfare. This bill contains four actions. First, this bill reduces the General Fund and increases the federal fund to account for the impacts of the Public Health Emergency, which provides all states an additional 6.2% of federal match for all claims. Second, this bill provides funding for the Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic, and Treatment (EPSDT) benefit, as required by class counsel in the Jeff D. Lawsuit Settlement. Third, this bill provides additional receipt authority in dedicated funds, and reduces the General Fund and federal funds; receipt authority are dedicated funds that come from income from sources such as drug rebates. Finally, this bill provides additional dedicated and federal funds to account for changes made to the Upper Payment Limit (UPL) through S1350 of 2022.

FISCAL NOTE

	FTP	Gen	Ded	Fed	Total
1. Public Health Emergency (PHE)	0.00	(90,518,000)	0	260,807,700	170,289,700
4. Early and Periodic Screening Assmt	0.00	50,000	0	50,000	100,000
5. Receipt Authority	0.00	(14,933,200)	100,756,400	(56,794,200)	29,029,000
6. Upper Payment Limit Increase	0.00	0	17,371,000	193,220,100	210,591,100
Total	0.00	(105,401,200)	118,127,400	397,283,600	410,009,800

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